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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: NYA  
MICHAEL SASGES, ET AL. )  
: Group Art Unit: NYA  
Application No.: NYA )  
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Filed: March 4, 2002 )  
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For: OPTICAL RADIATION SENSOR ) March 4, 2002  
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DEVICE AND USE IN A )  
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RADIATION SOURCE MODULE )

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under  
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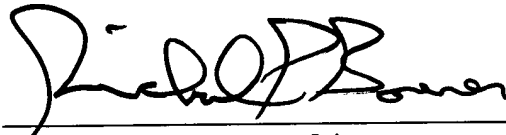
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3500. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		<b>5,660,719</b>	<b>08/26/97</b>	<b>Kurtz, et al.</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>85</b>	
		<b>5,452,135</b>	<b>09/19/95</b>	<b>Maki, et al.</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>834</b>	
		<b>4,602,162</b>	<b>07/22/86</b>	<b>Sperry, III et al.</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>436</b>	
		<b>4,103,167</b>	<b>07/25/78</b>	<b>Ellner</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>432 R</b>	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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		<b>29707052</b>	<b>06/11/97</b>	<b>Germany</b>			

OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)		

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